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From:

Louis Berg

To:

Chris Colt

Date:

3/20/02 1:57PM

Subject:

Re: Horizon Mine - illegal dumping in Jewks Creek

I inspected about 1,000 ft of the North Fork of Gordon Creek below the confluence of Jewkes Creek. No evidence of dead fish, dead macroinvertebrates, high flows, or problem substances. I did not look at Jewkes Creek itself because it does not support fish. Please let DOGM know that we didn't observe a problem.

## >>> Chris Colt 03/18/02 02:24PM >>>

DOGM (Pete Hess) phoned to day to let me know that Horizon Mine illegally dumped >20,000 gal. of dirty mine water in Jewkes Creek on 3/15/02. DOGM took samples of the water and will be analyzing them. Based on what they find, they may issue a violation. We are requested to keep out eyes/ears open for impacts to fish downstream and let DOGM know of any.

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